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## Command Operations Report

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### 1. Command Data

Name of your Command or Organization: USS CARNEY (DDG 64) (CNY)

Unit Identification Code (UIC): 21923

Name, rank, and contact information of Commander/Commanding Officer/Officer in Charge:

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Date Assumed Command: 2016-11-05

Mission: Forward Deployed Naval Forces- Europe, Ballistic Missile Defense/Maritime Security Operations Patrol

Command Employment: VILLEFRANCHE-SUR-MUR RECEPTION, CMAV, SAR, AMMO ONLOAD, USW, JOINT WARRIOR 17-1, NSFS, C6F PATROL, FOST, MOB-S, SEA BREEZE, SIXTH FLEET PATROL, MOB-E, BMDEX, AW/SW/EW/INT 2.4, TRAV, SEA BREEZE, SIA, AMMO OFFLOAD, AT, EXPSAF, NAVCERT, BMD AWT, SIXTH FLEET PATROL.

Area of Operations: Commander, Sixth Fleet Areas of Responsibilities

Permanent Location (Home Port for deployable units): Rota, Spain

Immediate Superior in Command:

Operational: CTF 65

Administrative: COMDESRON 60

Identify your assigned Task Force/Group/Unit name(s) and mission(s). Include OPLAN(s) and/or named operations you participated in during Task Force assignment (if applicable): N/A

Name(s) of Forces, Commands, Ships, Squadrons or Units assigned or under your operational control (if applicable): N/A

Type and number of Aircraft/Ships Assigned and Tail Codes/Hull Numbers, if applicable: N/A

Commands, Detachments or Units deployed on board or stationed aboard as tenant activities (as applicable):

Number of Personnel Assigned:

Officers: 36

Enlisted: 262

Civilian: 0

Command Point of Contact:

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## 2. Commander's Assessment

. Throughout 2017, CARNEY professionally executed all operational requirements; highlights included:

a. The first operational surge of an FDNF ship. In January, CARNEY effectively hit the pause button on a scheduled CMAV, got underway in 96 hours, and put together a five star event in support of Sixth Fleet Strategic Communication Objectives in support of the 50th Anniversary of Sixth Fleet's departure from Villefranche-sur-mer, France.

b. Completion of NATO EXERCISE JOINT WARRIOR in March, operating under TACON of the Royal Netherlands Navy Maritime Command. During Joint Warrior, CARNEY completed Fleet ASW certification, Naval Surface Fire Support certification, and numerous no-notice restricted waters transits.

c. Completion of US Operational Sea Training in April under the tutelage of the Flag Officer Sea Training Staff, where CARNEY performed exceptionally well and took USOST farther than any previous ship, with all 46 certification events completed successfully. FOST stated "At her first exposure to USOST in the SCXAS, CRNY has built on previous US DDG success, incorporating lessons learnt by previous Rota based DDGs, and has delivered a solid

performance throughout training.” CARNEY encapsulated lessons learned in a 61-page Chartwork published for subsequent ships, ATG, and NSMWDC.

- d. Completion of a circumnavigation of the Baltic Sea in May, including completion of a Baltic FCO.
  - e. Completion of EXERCISE SEA BREEZE in the Black Sea with Ukraine and Black Sea partners in June, and a WASEX with the Armed Forces of Malta in December.
  - f. Ready shooter duties in July in support of the GEORGE H.W. BUSH Carrier Strike Group.
  - g. Intercept and VI collection on numerous contacts of interest including a Chinese Surface Action Group operating in the Mediterranean.
  - h. Completion of Electromagnetic Maneuver Warfare drills including a successful “hide-and-go-seek” drill with the USS MAHAN where the playing field was the Central and Eastern Mediterranean Sea.
  - i. Direct support of contingency operations in the Central Mediterranean in December.
  - j. Completion of Freedom of Navigation Operations in December.
  - k. Direct support of numerous Strategic Communication engagements on behalf of Sixth Fleet and US Embassies in Europe, including welcoming the President of Ukraine to CARNEY, a large-scale reception in Malta which included three Cabinet Secretaries and the Ambassadors from seven nations, and small stand-up receptions in Odessa, Amsterdam, and Kiel.
  - l. Safe completion of 76 restricted waters transits in 13 distinct ports, 12 major straits transits, and more than 35,000nm traveled more than six months of underway operations.
3. During 2017 CARNEY completed all training and readiness certification requirements satisfactorily – including:
- a. Basic Phase/ATG certifications: SAR, MOB-D, MOB-E (completed while on station off Cyprus), ASW and NSFS FIREX (during JOINT WARRIOR), CCC and MOB-S (during FOST), Warfare Certifications at FST-U (AW, SW, CRY, EW, and INT – during Patrol 3 TRAV), BMD, EXPSAF, and ATRP.
  - b. TTGL/CSG-4 Intermediate/Advanced Phase certifications: Naval undersea warfare tactical certification (NUWTAC), all required SUW live fire events, BMD qualification (due to material casualty, one scenario completed after the fact).
  - c. Administrative and technical inspections: SSRNM, Naval Safety Survey (AOSA), Navigation Equipment Certification (NAVCERT), and Aviation Facility Certification (AVCERT) – although due to catastrophic failure of SGSI in July and inability of

FDRMC/NAVAIR/Ship's Force to repair, night certification held in abeyance pending SGSI repair.

d. Thirty-two fleet level ballistic missile defense scenarios with an average score of 92%. Thirty-seven C6F/C5F TLAM scenarios with an average score of 95%.

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### 3. Chronology

#### January

03- USS CARNEY conducts Combat Systems Technical Training drills and U.S. Navy transgender training.

04- USS CARNEY continues with transgender training. USS CARNEY continues Aviation Certification preparations, MOB-S/Search and rescue preparations and there is a Continued Maintenance availability arrival conference.

06- USS CARNEY conducts a Commanding Officer's call held on the flight deck.

09- There is a MOB-S, USW, and BMD inbrief.

10- USS CARNEY conducts BMD and USW 2.0. USS CARNEY conducts MOB-S. There are CSTT drills.

11- USS CARNEY conducts CSTT and DCTT drills.

12- USS CARNEY conducts MOB-S training.

13- USS CARNEY conducts a Flag Officer Sea Training (FOST) planning meeting, there is a MOB-S, and BMD outbrief.

16- USS CARNEY conducts a Navigation brief and conducts a Sea and Anchor detail outbound Naval Station Rota. USS CARNEY receives an Optimum Track Ship Routing divert message from Fleet Weather Center Norfolk, Virginia to remain in the lee of Mallorca, Spain for 24 hours due to heavy weather.

17- USS CARNEY conducts a cyber spotcheck, CSTT drills, and DCTT import emergency team drills.

18- USS CARNEY conducts an Antiterrorism Working Group and final schedule review for a Port Visit to Villefranche Sur Mer, France.

19- USS CARNEY conducts small boat operations in support of mooring to a buoy evolution in Villefranche, France. USS CARNEY moors to southern mooring buoy in Villefranche, France in support of U.S. 6<sup>th</sup> Fleet's 50<sup>th</sup> year commemoration of the departure from Villefranche, France. There is a NCIS welcome brief, an office call with the Mayor of Villefranche, and a welcome cocktail reception.

20- USS CARNEY participates in a commemoration ceremony and unveiling of U.S. 6<sup>th</sup> Fleet plaque at the Monument of Fallen Soldiers. USS CARNEY hosts Navy League ship tours and a media tour. USS CARNEY hosts a reception on the flight deck in support of the commemoration of U.S. 6<sup>th</sup> Fleet's departure from Villefranche, France.

21- USS CARNEY hosts tours for Cadets onboard and participates in a parade while moored in Villefranche, France. USS CARNEY receives an Optimum Track Ship Routing divert message recommending to stay moored in Villefranche as inclement weather passes. USS CARNEY

observes the divert message sent from Fleet Weather Center Norfolk, Virginia and stays moored in Villefranche, France.

23- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and small boat operations in support of underway from southern mooring buoy in Villefranche, France. USS CARNEY conducts seamanship training during her outbound transit from Villefranche.

24- USS CARNEY conducts Combat Systems Training Team drills and there is a TLAM in house strike scenario. USS CARNEY conducts a Commanding Officer's call.

25- USS CARNEY conducts a Sea and Anchor detail for inbound Naval Station Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY moors port side to Pier 1 Berth 2 Naval Station Rota, Spain.

26- USS CARNEY re-commences her Continuous Maintenance Availability. USS CARNEY conducts damage control training.

27- USS CARNEY conducts a general quarters drill and continues with Search and Rescue certification with Afloat Training Group.

30- USS CARNEY conducts operational stress control training and basic ship handling for bridge watchstanders.

31- USS CARNEY finishes operational stress control training and continues basic ship handling training for bridge watchstanders.

## **February**

01- USS CARNEY conducts a gunshoot and continues basic ship handling training.

02- USS CARNEY conducts a gunshoot and continues basic ship handling training.

03- USS CARNEY conducts a general quarters drill and there is a Commanding Officer's Call.

06- USS CARNEY commences Bridge Resource Management training, Link Response Team Training and MOB-D certification in port emergency team drills.

07- USS CARNEY continues with MOB-D certification and Bridge Resource Management training.

08- USS CARNEY continues with MOB-D certification and Bridge Resource Management training.

09- USS CARNEY continues with MOB-D certification and Bridge Resource Management training.

10- USS CARNEY completes MOB-D certification and completes Bridge Resource Management training.

13- USS CARNEY commences ASW 2.1-2.2, MOB-E 1.2 and NSFS MTT.

14- USS CARNEY continues with ASW 2.1, MOB-E 1.2 and NSFS MTT.

15- USS CARNEY continues with ASW 2.1, MOB-E 1.2 and NSFS MTT.

16- USS CARNEY continues with ASW 2.1, MOB-E 1.2 and NSFS MTT. Junior Officers and leadership from USS CARNEY, USS ROSS, USS DONALD COOK and DESRON 60 meet at DESRON 60 building for a brief by Commander, Naval Surface and Mine Warfighting Development Center.

17- USS CARNEY conducts Sound Shipboard Operating Principles and Procedures training for all hands. There is a NSFS, ASW and CCC outbrief.

21- USS CARNEY continues with ASW 2.2 and MOB-E 1.2. RDML Cariello, Director of Energy and Conservation visits USS CARNEY for a ship tour.

23- USS CARNEY continues with ASW and MOB-E training.

24- USS CARNEY continues with ASW and MOB-E training. USS CARNEY observes Black History month with a ceremony on the Mess decks. Sailors from the USS CARNEY wardroom

and Chief Petty Officer's mess participate in the Lanny King Dinner at Tio Pepe Bodega where ENS [REDACTED] is announced as the 2016 Lanny King Award winner.

27- USS CARNEY commences MOB-E 1.3A and continues with ASW training. USS CARNEY conducts a promotion ceremony for ENS Yvonne Payne.

28- USS CARNEY conducts scenarios, evolutions and drills in support of MOB-E and ASW certifications.

### **March**

01- USS CARNEY continues with ASW scenarios and engineering evolutions and drills.

02- USS CARNEY continues with ASW scenarios and engineering evolutions and drills.

03- USS CARNEY completes ASW 1.2 and MOB-E 1.3A.

06- USS CARNEY conducts BMD training and ship wide preservation.

07- USS CARNEY conducts a BMD training scenario.

08- USS CARNEY conducts a BMD exercise and a Commanding Officer's Call.

09- USS CARNEY conducts refueling, a crash and salvage drill, a Force Protection Exercise and ship wide preparations for her 3<sup>rd</sup> U.S. 6<sup>th</sup> Fleet Patrol.

10- USS CARNEY conducts a watchbill verification exercise in preparation for underway.

13- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and gets underway from Pier 1 Berth 2 Naval Station Rota and Berth Shifts to Pier 1 Berth 5 in support of ammunition onload. USS CARNEY commences MOB-A certification.

14- USS CARNEY continues with ammunition movement and MOB-A 1.4A certification. USS CARNEY receives Battle Effectiveness and Command Excellence results, USS CARNEY earns all 5 Command Excellence awards as listed below.

15- USS CARNEY gets underway in support of MOB-A and ASW certification. USS CARNEY conducts Deck Landing Qualifications, Vertical Replenishment and a Helo In-flight Refueling in support of MOB-A with HSC-28 Ghost Rider.

16- USS CARNEY conducts Anchor Drop test and an ASW 2.3 inbrief.

17- USS CARNEY conducts a Sea and Anchor detail for Naval Station Rota in support of small boat operations Pax transfer. USS CARNEY conducts a live fire shoot of CIWS, 5 inch and crew served weapons.

18- USS CARNEY conducts ASW scenarios in support of ASW 2.3.

19- USS CARNEY conducts a Sea and Anchor Detail for inbound Naval Station Rota and moors port side to Pier 1 Berth 3 in support of refueling. USS CARNEY receives a weather advisory to get underway and proceed to Faslane, UK due to expected inclement weather along her transit to Faslane, UK if departure from Rota, Spain were to be on the afternoon of March 20<sup>th</sup>. USS CARNEY adheres to the weather advisory from Fleet Weather Center Norfolk and gets underway and proceeds to Faslane, UK.

21- USS CARNEY conducts an Antiterrorism Working Group Meeting and a navigation brief for inbound Faslane, UK.

22- USS CARNEY conducts a Sea and Anchor detail for inbound Faslane, UK and moors starboard side to Berth 2 at Her Majesty's Naval Base Clyde in support of the bi-annual multinational exercise Joint Warrior/Cobra Warrior/ Information Warrior 17-1.

23- USS CARNEY conducts ASW lookout training, SNOOPIE team training, Engineering training team drills and a Force Protection exercise.

24- USS CARNEY conducts a Combat Systems training team drill, Damage Control training, and Force Protection drills.

25- USS CARNEY commences Joint Warrior 17-1 and members from USS CARNEY attend briefing and orders day at Her Majesty's Naval Base Clyde, Faslane, U.K.

26- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief for outbound Faslane, U.K. USS CARNEY gets U/W from HMNB Clyde and transits to the Firth of Clyde to rendezvous with HNLMS TROMP in the Firth of Clyde. USS CARNEY participates in two Electronic warfare exercises and RAS approaches with Royal Netherlands Navy Warships, HNLMS TROMP (F803) and HNLMS DE RUYTER (F804).

27- USS CARNEY conducts a Pacfire in preparation for a gun shoot exercise. USS CARNEY conducts a general quarters drill and two air defense exercises. USS CARNEY participates in basic tactical maneuvering exercise with HNLMS TROMP, HNLMS DE RUYTER, and USNS ROBERT E. PEARY.

28- USS CARNEY conducts a replenishment at sea with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY. USS CARNEY conducts CASEX E3 and CASEX A2 with HNLMS TROMP, HNLMS DE RUYTER and HNLMS BRUINVIS.

29- USS CARNEY streams TACTAS and conducts CASEX C4 and F2. USS CARNEY conducts flight operations with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY for pax transfer.

30- USS CARNEY conducts CASEX C4 and C5. There are engineering training drills.

31- USS CARNEY conducts helicopter operations with Broadway 04 for pax transfer. USS CARNEY completes phase one of Operation Vidar in support of Joint Warrior 17-1. USS CARNEY conducts barrier operations against potential (exercise) submarine threat in support of Joint Warrior 17-1.

## **April**

1- USS CARNEY conducts a general quarters drill while conducting a north bound strait transit in formation escorting USNS ROBERT E. PEARY and RFA ARGUS through the Sea of the Hebrides into the Little Minches. USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY after transiting into the Minches. USS CARNEY defends herself and USNS ROBERT E. PEARY against FIAC in the Minches. All exercises are conducted IAW Joint Warrior guidance.

2- USS CARNEY conducts a 5" Gun Pacfire and a live fire exercise.

3- USS CARNEY conducts flight operations for pax transfer and a Pacfire in preparation for Naval Surface Fire Support. USS CARNEY conducts Naval Surface Fire Support off the coast of Cape Wrath in support of Joint Warrior and NSFS certification. USS CARNEY shot 47 rounds on range.

4- USS CARNEY conducts exercise TLAM operations in support of Joint Warrior in the northern Minches. USS CARNEY conducts air defense exercises and barrier operations defending the High Value Unit RFA ARGUS in the Minches against low slow fliers and submarines for exercise Joint Warrior.

5- USS CARNEY escorts CTG 315.02 from Summer Isle to the Inner Sound in support of exercise Joint Warrior. USS CARNEY then supports CTG 315.01 in the safe transit of RFA ARGUS through the Little Minch and Sea of the Hebrides. USS CARNEY completes Exercise Joint Warrior and detaches from CTG 315.01 en route to Prestwick, Scotland.

6- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief for boat operations outside of Prestwick, Scotland. USS CARNEY conducts boat operations for pax transfer of Flag Officer Sea Training and Afloat Training Group personnel.



USS CARNEY transits to Plymouth and in preparation for Flag Officer Sea Training (FOST).

7- USS CARNEY conducts multiple engineering drills and loss of steering drills in support of FOST preparation. USS CARNEY conducts multiple table top tactics discussions in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief for boat transfer at the Plymouth Breakwater.

8- USS CARNEY conducts a boat transfer IVO the Plymouth breakwater. USS CARNEY conducts a field day and secure for sea preparations in support of FOST.

9- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and FOST briefs and preparations.

10- USS CARNEY officially starts FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a 0830 boat transfer for FOST personnel. USS CARNEY conducts her material assessment and safety check (MASC). USS CARNEY conducts medical drills, loss of propulsion and steering drill, flight deck crash drill, a fixed wing detect to engage, a shipboard man overboard recovery, flight operations, and a surface gunnery exercise. USS CARNEY conducts a blind pilotage drill followed by a boat transfer for FOST CMST. There is a 1MC all hands call and finally an end of day boat transfer for FOST day 1.

11- USS CARNEY conducts a 0730 boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts an aircraft crash on deck drill. USS CARNEY conducts a 1330 boat transfer. USS CARNEY conducts an Air Defense exercise with RFA WAVE RULER, USNS ROBERT E. PEARY, and HMNLS DE RUYTER. USS CARNEY conducts a 1730 boat transfer. USS CARNEY conducts a counter and attack submarine exercise with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY.

12- USS CARNEY conducts a 0815 boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a towing exercise with Plymouth Tug boat Adept. USS CARNEY conducts a Man Overboard exercise with a small boat recovery in support of FOST and MOB-S. USS CARNEY conducts flight operations and table top tactics in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a 5 inch Gun Pacfire in support of a Gunex with a towed sled target. USS CARNEY accomplishes all required shots down range for the Gunex involving a Plymouth Tug and towed target, the first U.S. ship that had attended FOST to accomplish the Gunex. USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY and flight operations with FHSU Dauphin.

13- USS CARNEY conducts a 0715 boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a weekly war exercise with HNLMS TROMP, HNLMS DE RUYTER, and USNS ROBERT E. PEARY who comprised Task Group 603.01. All units conducted a mine swept channel transit, countered simulated surface and subsurface threats, and air defense against live participating aircraft. Units also conducted RAS approaches during the weekly war. USS CARNEY finished the weekly war and conducted a boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY then conducted a sea and anchor detail inbound transit up the Plymouth Sound to moor stbd side to 6 wharf Plymouth Harbor.

14- USS CARNEY conducts force protection training.

15- USS CARNEY conducts force protection training.

16- USS CARNEY observes Easter Sunday.

17- USS CARNEY conducts navigation and seamanship briefs for outbound transit, mooring to a buoy evolution, and anchoring evolution. USS CARNEY conducts an outbound transit from 6 Wharf in the Plymouth Sound. USS CARNEY moors to "C" buoy just north of the Plymouth Breakwater in support of MOB-S and FOST. USS CARNEY gets U/W from "C" buoy and proceeds SOBW and anchors in Anchorage 23 in support of MOB-S and FOST. USS CARNEY gets U/W from anchorage and conducts an abandon ship drill in support of MOB-S and FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a Flying Exercise in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a 1900 boat transfer in support of FOST.



18- USS CARNEY conducts a 0715 boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a Gunnery exercise with live aircraft and tow in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a second boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts an Air Defense Exercise with live aircraft and USNS ROBERT E. PEARY in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a final boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a CASEX with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY in support of FOST.

19- USS CARNEY conducts a 0715 boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a man overboard drill and a second boat transfer in support of FOST and MOB-S training. USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts two gunnery exercises. USS CARNEY conducts a final boat transfer.

20- USS CARNEY conducts a morning boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a weekly war exercise with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY. USS CARNEY conducted a final boat transfer for the day in support of FOST.

21- USS CARNEY conducts a morning boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a Flying exercise with FHSU DAUPHIN and flight operations. USS CARNEY conducts a boat transfer and inbound sea and anchor for Plymouth.

24- USS CARNEY conducts a Force Protection exercise in support of FOST. USS CARNEY sails from alongside 6 Wharf Plymouth harbor to sea. USS CARNEY conducts a surface exercise with FOST 27 meter vessel. USS CARNEY conducts a surface exercise with FGS LUEBECK.

25- USS CARNEY conducts a morning boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a gunnery exercise with live aircraft and towed target. USS CARNEY conducts a second boat transfer. USS CARNEY conducts an Air Defense Exercise with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY, FGS LUEBECK, and HMNLS ZEELAND and live aircraft. USS CARNEY conducts a third boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a simulated CASEX with FGS LUEBECK in support of FOST.

26- USS CARNEY conducts a morning boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with RFA WAVE RULER. USS CARNEY conducts a second boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a multiple incidents at sea exercise in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts her final boat transfer for the day in support of FOST.

27- USS CARNEY conducts a morning boat transfer in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts her final weekly war exercise with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY and FGS LUEBECK in support of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a FOST debrief onboard and a final boat transfer for the completion of FOST. USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with USNS ROBERT E. PEARY. For USS CARNEY'S FOST participation she conducted a total of 30 boat transfers and 4 sea and anchor details for the Plymouth sound transits.

28- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief for inbound Amsterdam, Netherlands and there is a Commanding Officer's call.

29- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail inbound Amsterdam, Netherlands.

## **May**

01- USS CARNEY participates in an animal shelter community relations event and hosts a reception onboard for Netherlands Parliament members, Netherlands Ministry of Defense members, and U.S. Embassy staff.

03- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and a sea and anchor detail outbound Amsterdam, Netherlands.

04- USS CARNEY conducts engineering training team evolutions and a Navigation brief for the Danish strait.

05- USS CARNEY conducts a strait transit through the Kattegat and Skagerrak to the Baltic Sea.

06- USS CARNEY conducts engineering training team and damage control training team drills in preparation for MOB-E 1.3.

07- There is a promotion ceremony for ENS [REDACTED], ENS [REDACTED], and ENS [REDACTED].

08- USS CARNEY conducts engineering training team drills in preparation for MOB-E 1.3.

09- USS CARNEY conducts engineering and damage control drills in preparation for MOB-E 1.3 and there is a navigation brief for inbound Kiel, Germany.

10- USS CARNEY conducts an inbound sea and anchor transit for Kiel, Germany and moors port side to "AM" pier.

11- USS CARNEY hosts a reception onboard for German parliament members, German defense members, and U.S. Embassy staff.

14- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief for outbound Kiel, Germany and Danish strait northbound transit. USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for outbound Kiel, Germany. USS CARNEY transits the Danish Strait, Skagerrak, and Kattegat towards Plymouth, U.K.

15- USS CARNEY conducts engineering drills in preparation for MOB-E 1.3.

16- USS CARNEY conducts a strike scenario, there are engineering drills, and the ship conducts an administrative general quarters in support of a FOST weekly war participation. USS CARNEY transits through the Strait of Dover.

17- There is a strike scenario, engineering drills, and a RAS brief in preparation for a RAS with RFA WAVE RULER. USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with RFA WAVE RULER in the Scottish Coast Exercise Areas. There is a navigation and weekly war brief for USS CARNEY'S participation in a FOST weekly war.

18- USS CARNEY participates in a FOST weekly war exercise with, RFA WAVE RULER, HMS RICHMOND, HMS SUTHERLAND, RFA CARDIGAN BAY, and FGS LUEBECK.

19- USS CARNEY conducts a Commanding Officer's Call and an awards ceremony.

20- USS CARNEY conducts engineering training and drills in preparation for MOB-E 1.3.

21- USS CARNEY conducts crew served weapons shoots in support of personnel qualifications. USS CARNEY conducts a MWR steel beach picnic for the crew.

22- USS CARNEY conducts engineering drills, all hands tag out training, and a SPY radar sphere tracking exercise. There is a promotion ceremony for ENS [REDACTED]. USS CARNEY continues with crew served weapons qualification shoots.

23- USS CARNEY continues with crew served weapons qualification shoots. USS CARNEY conducts engineering, damage control, and combat systems drills.

24- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and a sea and anchor inbound transit to Naval Station Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY moors port side to pier 1 B3 Naval Station Rota, Spain.

25- USS CARNEY conducts engineering drills in preparation for MOB-E 1.3. There is a bong off for departing USS CARNEY sailors.

29- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and a sea and anchor detail for outbound Naval Station Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY conducts an ASW scenario and transits the Strait of Gibraltar into the Mediterranean Sea.

30- USS CARNEY conducts a strike scenario, engineering evolutions and drills, and a combat systems training scenario. USS CARNEY conducts day and night Deck Landing Qualifications with SH-60R Jaguar 804 from USS LEYTE GULF in the Alboran Sea.

31- USS CARNEY conducts a BMD exercise, engineering drills, and damage control drills.

## **June**

01- USS CARNEY conducts engineering evolutions and drills. There is a navigation brief for inbound Palma De Mallorca, Spain. There is a combat systems training drill and a promotion ceremony for LTJG Clements.

02- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail inbound Palma De Mallorca, Spain and moors port side to Dique Del Oeste Pier.

05- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and sea and anchor detail outbound Palma De Mallorca, Spain. USS CARNEY conducts full seamanship training team navigation drills during her outbound transit.

06- USS CARNEY commences MOB-E 1.3B. USS CARNEY conducts combat systems training scenario and engineering drills in support of MOB-E 1.3B.

07- USS CARNEY conducts a BMD exercise, a strike scenario, and a CIWS pacfire and M240 gun shoot. Engineering training and drills continue in support of MOB-E 1.3B.

08- USS CARNEY continues MOB-E 1.3B, there is a strike scenario and a 5" Pacfire.

09- USS CARNEY continues with MOB-E 1.3B, to include engineering and damage control drills.

10- USS CARNEY continues with engineering and damage control drills in support of MOB-E 1.3B. There is a navigation brief for small boat operations in support of PAX transfer.

11- USS CARNEY conducts small boat operations in Cadiz Bay in support of PAX transfer. There is a navigation brief for the next day's small boat operations and sea and anchor detail for inbound Rota, Spain.

12- USS CARNEY conducts small boat operations in support of PAX transfer in Cadiz Bay. USS CARNEY commences 3M 1.1/1.2. USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for inbound Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY moors port side to berth 3 Rota, Spain.

13- USS CARNEY continues with 3M 1.1/1.2, and commences TRAV. There is a promotion ceremony for ENS [REDACTED].

14- USS CARNEY continues with TRAV and 3M 1.1/1.2. There is an all-day Afloat Operational Safety Assessment.

15- USS CARNEY continues with TRAV and 3M 1.1/1.2.

16- USS CARNEY completes 3M 1.1/1.2. There is a frocking ceremony for MMCS [REDACTED].

17- USS CARNEY conducts an Ammo onload and Offload.

20- USS CARNEY commences Explosive Safety inspection and FST-U certification.

21- USS CARNEY continues with Explosive Safety and FST-U. USS CARNEY conducts a Rescue and Assistance Drill.

22- USS CARNEY continues with Explosive Safety and FST-U. There is a Main Space Fire Drill.

23- USS CARNEY completes Explosive Safety inspection and FST-U certification.

26- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief for outbound Rota, Spain and commences MOB-E 1.3C. USS CARNEY conducts an outbound sea and anchor detail from Rota, Spain.

27- USS CARNEY continues with MOB-E 1.3C.

- 28- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation and RAS brief. There is a BMD exercise and USS CARNEY conducts small boat operations outside of Augusta Bay, Sicily in support of PAX and Parts transfer.
- 29- USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with USNS BIGHORN.
- 30- USS CARNEY conducts flight operations with Helicopter Squadron 9 from the George H. W. Bush Carrier Strike Group.

## July

- 01- USS CARNEY conducts evolutions and drills in support of MOB-E 1.3C.
- 04- USS CARNEY conducts small boat operations for parts transfer with USS PHILIPPINE SEA. USS CARNEY conducts 5 inch and CWIS gun shoot. USS CARNEY enjoys a steel beach picnic for celebration of Independence Day.
- 05- USS CARNEY conducts 9mm gun shoots for qualification, there is a BMD exercise, and there is Junior Officer training.
- 06- USS CARNEY conducts engineering evolutions and drills, there is a strike scenario, and USS CARNEY conducts a RAS with USNS BIGHORN.
- 07- USS CARNEY conducts engineering drills and evolutions, there is Junior Officer training, and there is a navigation brief for USS CARNEY's northbound Turkish Straits Transit.
- 08- USS CARNEY conducts her northbound Turkish Strait Transit from the Aegean Sea to the Black Sea through the Dardanelles Strait, Sea of Marmara, and Istanbul Strait.
- 09- USS CARNEY conducts an antiterrorism working group and a navigation brief for Odessa, Ukraine.
- 10- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for inbound Odessa, Ukraine in support of the annual Ukrainian Navy led, multinational maritime, amphibious, land, and air exercise SEA BREEZE. USS CARNEY leadership attends a Sea Breeze opening ceremony.
- 11- USS CARNEY participates in workshops in support of sea Breeze 2017. The workshops include planning for air defense exercises, maritime interdiction operations, gunnery exercises, and an antisubmarine exercise.
- 12- USS CARNEY conducts communications checks, USS CARNEY hosts a damage control exercise onboard, there is a Pre-Sail Brief at the Ukrainian Western Naval Base, and there is a Sea Breeze Media Day on the Pier, all in support of exercise Sea Breeze 2017. There is a navigation brief for outbound Odessa, Ukraine.
- 13- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for outbound Odessa, Ukraine in support of exercise sea breeze. USS CARNEY participates in a Surface Exercise, a stationing and tactical maneuvering exercise, RAS approaches, a Flag hoist drill, and a Flashing light drill in support of exercise Sea Breeze. USS CARNEY participates in these exercises as a member of task group 365.1.1, led by USS HUE CITY. Members of the task group include: USS CARNEY, FFGH TCG TURGUTREIS (Turkish Navy), UKR BG KUROIATNIKOV (Ukrainian Navy), FF ROU MARASESTI (Romanian Navy), FF UPN HETMAN SAHAIDACHIIY (Ukrainian Navy), FS ROU MACELLARIU (Romanian Navy).
- 14- USS CARNEY conducts a Search and Rescue exercise, an air defense exercise, and two gunnery exercises in support of exercise Sea Breeze. There is a navigation brief for inbound Odessa, Ukraine. USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for inbound Odessa, Ukraine. USS CARNEY conducts a ship wide all hands painting evolution and cleaners in support of following day's reception.

15- USS CARNEY participates in a de-brief hotwash with regards to part one of exercise Sea Breeze. USS CARNEY hosts a reception on board for multiple dignitaries of Ukraine, Ukrainian defense members, members of the U.S. Embassy, Ukraine Minister of Defense, and an office call for Commander Sixth Fleet, VADM Grady and Ukrainian Ambassador Marie Yovanovitch.

17- USS CARNEY hosts a tour of the ship for the President of Ukraine and guests.

18- There is a navigation brief and a sea and anchor detail for outbound Odessa, Ukraine. USS CARNEY participates in a tactical maneuvering exercise, and a night steam package in support of exercise Sea Breeze.

19- USS CARNEY participates in a multidimensional threat antisubmarine exercise and an additional tactical maneuvering exercise in support of Sea Breeze. USS CARNEY participates in the "Free Play" phase of exercise Sea Breeze where she develops RMP, RAP, and talks on the net with the rest of task group 365.1.1.

20- USS CARNEY conducts VBSS operations with NSWU-2 and Ukrainian Navy in support of exercise Sea Breeze.

21- USS CARNEY conducts a Photo Exercise with the units participating in exercise Sea Breeze. The units form up in the shape of a Trident. USS CARNEY detaches from CTG 365.1.1 and Sea Breeze comes to an end. There is a navigation brief for inbound Constanta, Romania.

22- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for inbound Constanta, Romania. There is an in house BMD scenario.

23- There is a navigation brief and USS CARNEY conducts an outbound transit from Constanta, Romania. There is a MOB-E 1.3C in brief and engineering evolutions and drills.

24- USS CARNEY conducts her south bound transit of the Bosphorus and Dardanelles Straits from the Black Sea to the Aegean Sea.

25- USS CARNEY conducts a strike scenario, and continues engineering evolutions in support of MOB-E 1.3C.

26- USS CARNEY conducts engineering evolutions and drills in support of MOB-E 1.3C. There is a 9MM day time and low light gun shoot.

27- USS CARNEY continues engineering evolutions and drills, there is a M-16 gun shoot.

28- There is a strike scenario and a navigation brief for Larnaca, Cyprus boat operations.

29- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail and boat operations in Larnaca, Cyprus, in support of PAX transfer, bringing ATG and CARNEY sailors ashore, and bringing on Engineering Assessment Atlantic and members of Combined Task Force 65 staff. USS CARNEY commences MOB-E 1.4, Engineering Operations Certification. USS CARNEY conducts an afternoon sea and anchor detail and small boat operations for PAX transfer in support of MOB-E 1.4.

30- USS CARNEY conducts an emergency sea and anchor detail and small boat operations in support of a ship medevac in Larnaca, Cyprus during the early morning of 30JUL17. USS CARNEY conducts a morning and afternoon sea and anchor detail and boat operations for PAX transfer in support of MOB-E 1.4. USS CARNEY completes MOB-E 1.4. There is a Commanding Officer's call on the Flight Deck.

31- USS CARNEY conducts flight operations with USS HUE CITY in support of parts transfer. There is a navigation brief for Souda Bay, Greece.

## **August**



01- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail and small boat operations inside of Souda Bay harbor in support of PAX transfer. USS CARNEY conducts SSRNM in the Sea of Crete. There is a navigation brief for inbound Souda Bay, Greece.

02- USS CARNEY conducts an inbound transit to Souda Bay, Greece, mooring port side to Pier K-14. There is a BMD exercise and a navigation brief for outbound Souda Bay, Greece.

03- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for outbound Souda Bay, Greece. There is a RAS brief, and USS CARNEY conducts an Underway Replenishment with USNS BIGHORN.

04- USS CARNEY begins her transit west and conducts an INSURV demonstration to include a full Detect to Engage with a P-8, full power and quick reversal checks, and 5 inch and CIWS live fire demos.

05- USS CARNEY conducts an EMATT Tracking exercise.

06- USS CARNEY conducts a swim call and there is a steel beach picnic.

07- USS CARNEY conducts drone operations in support of the ship's crew photo in Summer White. There is a navigation brief for inbound Rota, Spain.

08- USS CARNEY conducts a westbound restricted visibility Strait of Gibraltar transit and a sea and anchor detail for inbound Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY returns from her 3<sup>rd</sup> FDNF-E Patrol and moors port side to, Pier 1 Berth 3 Naval Station Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY commences ammo offload.

09- USS CARNEY continues ammo offload.

10- USS CARNEY continues ammo offload.

11- USS CARNEY completes ammo offload. There is a navigation brief for USS CARNEY's dead stick from Pier 1 berth 3 to Pier 1 berth 1. USS CARNEY conducts the berth shift.

14- USS CARNEY commences self-assessment and groom training (SAGT) for navigation, auxiliaries, and VLS.

15- USS CARNEY continues SAGT for navigation, auxiliaries, and VLS.

16- USS CARNEY continues SAGT for navigation, auxiliaries, and VLS. USS CARNEY conducts a man overboard drill (night) RHIB and Foc'sle recoveries for MOB-S proficiency.

17- USS CARNEY continues SAGT for navigation, auxiliaries, and VLS. There are SAGT drills onboard, and there is a SAGT debrief.

18- There is a promotion ceremony for ENS [REDACTED].

21- USS CARNEY commences SPY and C4I SAGT. DESRON 60 pennant shifts to USS DONALD COOK.

22- USS CARNEY continues SPY and C4I SAGT. There is an early morning administrative General Quarters drill.

23- USS CARNEY continues SPY and C4I SAGT.

24- USS CARNEY continues SPY and C4I SAGT.

25- There is a SPY and C4I SAGT debrief.

28- USS CARNEY conducts Operational Pause. USS CARNEY's operational pause consisted of focused discussion groups/briefs reviewing how CARNEY conducts PBED, ORM, and executes evolutions and scenarios. Topics included: CO's standing orders review, restricted waters transits, a major casualty (Hole in the Hull), a major fuel spill, underway replenishments, and flight operations.

29- There is a corrosion control assistance training inbrief. USS CARNEY conducts duty section antiterrorism training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

30- USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

31- The Commanding Officer conducts zone inspection training with the officers and chief petty officers. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

## September

01- There is an all hands call with the Commanding Officer and a frocking ceremony for CSCS [REDACTED].

05- USS CARNEY commences Basic Ship Handling classes. There is a promotion ceremony for LT [REDACTED]. USS CARNEY continues with AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

06- USS CARNEY continues with Basic Ship Handling and AT drills. There is an E-6 and junior call with the Sixth Fleet Command Master Chief.

07- USS CARNEY continues with Basic Ship Handling and AT drills. USS CARNEY conducts small boat operations in the Rota Harbor in support of Junior Officer training and RHIB compass calibration. There is an awards ceremony and bong off. USS CARNEY conducts a flight deck crash drill and berthing egress training.

08- USS CARNEY completes the Basic Ship Handling course of instruction. USS CARNEY conducts and early morning General Quarters drill.

11- USS CARNEY commences Antiterrorism 1.0-1.2 assessment. USS CARNEY commences Special Evolution Training at the base simulator.

12- USS CARNEY continues with AT 1.0-1.2 and Special Evolution Training.

13- USS CARNEY continues with AT 1.0-1.2 and Special Evolution Training.

14- USS CARNEY continues with AT 1.0-1.2 and Special Evolution Training. CDRE CAPT Hall, Commander, Afloat Training Group Atlantic visits USS CARNEY for a training brief.

15- USS CARNEY completes AT 1.0-1.2 and Special Evolution Training. CDRE CAPT Hall, Commander, Afloat Training Group Atlantic visits the base Ship handling simulator during USS CARNEY's Special Evolution Training.

18- USS CARNEY commences BMD AWT Phase 2 and Bridge Resource Management. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

19- USS CARNEY continues with BMD AWT Phase 2 training and Bridge Resource Management. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

20- USS CARNEY continues with BMD AWT Phase 2 training and Bridge Resource Management. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification. There is a Captain's mast and an Officers Hail and Farewell.

21- USS CARNEY continues with BMD AWT Phase 2 training and Bridge Resource Management. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

22- USS CARNEY completes BMD AWT Phase 2 training and Bridge Resource Management. USS CARNEY conducts an early morning General Quarters drill.

25- USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

26- There is an Ombudsman Luncheon on base. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

27- There is a bong off for LCDR [REDACTED]'s departure. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.



28- There is a ship walk through with USS CARNEY's Port Engineer, Project Manager, and the Commander of Forward Deployed Regional Maintenance Center. There is a luncheon and dinner with Rear Admiral Wilson, Commander, Naval Surface Force Atlantic. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

29- Rear Admiral Wilson, Commander, Naval Surface Force Atlantic, visits USS CARNEY participating in a ship tour and Admiral's call with USS CARNEY Officers and Chief Petty Officers.

## **October**

02- USS CARNEY commences 3M 1.3 and continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

03- USS CARNEY continues with 3M 1.3 and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

04- USS CARNEY continues with 3M 1.3 and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

05- USS CARNEY continues with 3M 1.3 and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

06- USS CARNEY completes 3M 1.3 and continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification. USS CARNEY conducts weekly general quarters drill.

10- USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

11- USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

12- USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification. There is a pot luck on the messdecks to celebrate Hispanic Heritage month.

13- USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification. USS CARNEY conducts weekly general quarters drill. There is a Navy Birthday Celebration.

16- USS CARNEY commences BMDRA, TSRA, and NAVCERT. USS CARNEY continues AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

17- USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT, and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

18- USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT, and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification. There is a wardroom hail and farewell for departing officers.

19- USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT, and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification.

20- USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT, and AT training and drills in preparation for AT certification. The Commanding Officer delivers a tour to Chargé d'Affaires, U.S. Embassy Madrid, Mr. Benjamin Ziff onboard USS CARNEY. USS CARNEY sailors participate in the Navy Ball.

23- USS CARNEY commences AT 1.3 and PRECERT for AVCERT. USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, and NAVCERT.

24- USS CARNEY continues with AT 1.3, BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT and PRECERT.

25- USS CARNEY continues with AT 1.3, BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT and PRECERT. There is an AT 1.3 outbrief.

26- USS CARNEY conducts AT 1.4 (certification). USS CARNEY completes AT certification. USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT and PRECERT.

27- USS CARNEY continues with BMDRA, TSRA, NAVCERT and PRECERT. There is the weekly general quarters drill and USS CARNEY sailors participate in the CARNEY fall ball.  
30- USS CARNEY commences BMD AWT phase III. USS CARNEY continues with NAVCERT. Commander, Task Force 65, CAPT Tate Westbrook presents the 2015-2016 USS ARIZONA Memorial Trophy to USS CARNEY.  
31- USS CARNEY continues with BMD AWT phase III and NAVCERT.

## **November**

01- USS CARNEY continues with BMD AWT phase III and NAVCERT. Members from the Red Cross and El Puerto De Santa Maria, Spain Police department visit and receive a tour of USS CARNEY.  
02- USS CARNEY continues with BMD AWT phase III and NAVCERT. USS CARNEY conducts a Fast Cruise in preparation for 03 November underway.  
03- There is a navigation brief for outbound Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY gets underway from Pier 1 Berth 1 Naval Station Rota and proceeds to sea for Navigation Certification. USS CARNEY conducts an ISIC navigation check on her outbound transit.  
04- USS CARNEY completes the "at sea" portion of Navigation Certification. There is a navigation brief for inbound Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY moors port side to Pier 1 Berth 4 Naval Station Rota.  
06- USS CARNEY begins ammo onload and material checks with Insurv Readiness Assessment Team (IRAT). There is an all hands call onboard USS ROSS with Commander, Naval Personnel.  
07- Commander, Naval Forces Europe, Naval Forces Africa, Admiral Foggo visits USS CARNEY. Admiral Foggo observes morning colors onboard USS CARNEY and conducts discussions with USS CARNEY wardroom. There is an all hands call onboard USS ROSS with Admiral Foggo.  
08- USS CARNEY continues with ammo onload, and there is shipboard firefighting training. USS CARNEY Commanding Officer conducts training with all officers on the USS JOHN S. MCCAIN case study.  
09- USS CARNEY continues with ammo onload, and there is aviation firefighting training.  
13- There are BMDQ and C4I SOT inbriefs.  
14- USS CARNEY commences aviation certification, C4I SOT, and Ballistic Missile Defense qualification. USS CARNEY conducts explosive safety certification.  
15- USS CARNEY continues explosive safety, C4I SOT, and BMDQ.  
16- USS CARNEY continues explosive safety, C4I SOT, and BMDQ. USS CARNEY Commanding Officer leads ship handling training for junior officers at the Naval Station Rota Ship Simulator.  
17- USS CARNEY completes explosive safety, C4I SOT, and BMDQ.  
21- There is a navigation brief for USS CARNEY berth shift from port side to Pier 1 Berth 3 to stbd side to Pier 1 Berth 2. USS CARNEY berth shift from port side to Pier 1 Berth 3 to stbd side to Pier 1 Berth 2.  
27- There is an EODMU 8 scenario held onboard USS CARNEY. There is a navigation brief and a Sea RAM Trackex brief.  
28- USS CARNEY gets underway from Naval Station Rota to conduct Sea RAM trackex and CIWS pacfire. There is a navigation brief for inbound Rota, Spain. USS CARNEY moors port side to Pier 1 Berth 4 Naval Station Rota, Spain.  
29- USS CARNEY conducts ammo onload.

30- USS CARNEY continues with ammo onload and there is a frocking ceremony for all frocked petty officers.

## **December**

02- There is a navigation brief and USS CARNEY gets underway from Naval Station Rota, Spain for her 4<sup>th</sup> FDNF-E Patrol. USS CARNEY conducts an anchor drop test and time on the SESEF range for maintenance.

04- USS CARNEY conducts an active tracking exercise in support of ASW training. There are damage control hands on training and damage control drills.

05- There is a M9 gunshoot, medical training, and a combat systems and general quarters drill.

06- There is a M16 gunshoot, first aid drills, an ASW trackex, engineering training team drill and an antiterrorism working group brief for Valletta, Malta.

07- USS CARNEY conducts a general quarters drill, a M16 gunshoot, and there is a navigation brief for inbound Valletta, Malta.

08- USS CARNEY conducts an inbound transit to Valletta, Malta and moors port side to Pinto Wharfs 1 & 2 Valletta Grand Harbor. There is an initial planning conference for War At Sea Exercise with the Maltese Navy MALTEX 17-1.

09- USS CARNEY prepares for an onboard reception. There is a reception onboard located on the flight deck where USS CARNEY hosted the U.S. Ambassador to Malta, G. Kathleen Hill, as well as other distinguished visitors that included ambassadors from seven different countries, members of parliament and Commander, Armed Forces Malta.

10- Junior Officers lead various tours of the ship and the Commanding Officer leads a local press tour and private tour of the ship for Ambassador Hill.

11- USS CARNEY Commanding Officer conducts an office call and there is a painting of the ship presented by a local artist.

12- There is a navigation brief and War at Sea exercise briefs. USS CARNEY gets underway from Valletta, Malta and conducts a War at Sea exercise with the Maltese Navy and Maltese Special Forces. Significant events include cross deck operations, small boat operations in support of inbound FAC/FIAC drills and a visit board search and seizure exercise with the Maltese Special Forces. USS CARNEY also conducts ship maneuvering exercises and a photo exercise with the Maltese Navy.

13- USS CARNEY conducts a BMD exercise, damage control training, and engineering training drills.

14- USS CARNEY conducts a BMD exercise, damage control training, and engineering training drills.

16- USS CARNEY conducts a 5inch and 25mm gunshoot.

18- USS CARNEY conducts damage control training and migrant handling training.

19- USS CARNEY conducts a RAS brief.

20- USS CARNEY conducts replenishment at sea with USNS LEROY GRUMMAN

21- There is a navigation brief for inbound Split, Croatia. USS CARNEY conducts flight operations with Ghost Rider.

22- USS CARNEY conducts a sea and anchor detail for inbound Split, Croatia and moors Port Side to Luka North Breakwater, in Luka Lora Naval Harbor, Split Croatia. There is a strike scenario.

23- There is a strike scenario.

25- USS CARNEY observes Christmas onboard.

- 27- USS CARNEY conducts a navigation brief and gets underway from Split, Croatia and proceeds to the Adriatic Sea.
- 28- There is an antiterrorism working group for Brindisi, Italy.
- 29- USS CARNEY conducts a strike scenario, there is a navigation brief for inbound Brindisi, Italy, and USS CARNEY conducts an EMATT tracking exercise in the Adriatic Sea with two CTF-67 P-8s. USS CARNEY conducts a 5inch and 25mm gunshoot.
- 30- USS CARNEY conducts an inbound sea and anchor detail for Brindisi, Italy and moors Port Side to Prolungamento Nuovo Sporgente Pier Berth 21. There is a strike scenario.
- 31- There is a church service onboard and USS CARNEY observes the New Year.
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## Narrative

01-15JAN	Moored Port side to Pier 1 Berth 2 Naval Station Rota, Spain
16-19JAN	U/W transit from Rota to Villefranche, France
19-23JAN	Moored to Southern Buoy in Villefranche, France
23-25JAN	U/W from Villefranche, France transit to Naval Station Rota, Spain
25JAN	Moored Port Side to Pier 1 Berth 2 Naval Station Rota, Spain
25JAN-13MAR	Moored Port Side to Pier 1 Berth 2 Naval Station Rota, Spain
13-15MAR	Moored Port Side to Pier 1 Berth 5 Naval Station Rota, Spain
15-19MAR	U/W IVO Cadiz Bay & Eastern Atlantic Ocean
19-22MAR	U/W Transit from Rota, Spain to Faslane, United Kingdom
22-26MAR	Moored Stbd side to Berth 2B Faslane, United Kingdom
26MAR	U/W from Faslane, United Kingdom
27MAR	Transit from the Firth of Clyde through North Channel to Northeast Atlantic Ocean
27-31MAR	U/W in Northeast Atlantic southwest of the Sea of the Hebrides
01APR	Transit from Sea of the Hebrides through the Little Minch to the Minches
02-03APR	U/W in the Minches
03-04APR	U/W off the coast of Cape Wrath, Scotland
04-05APR	U/W in the Northern Minch
05APR	Transit from the inner sound through Little Minch to the Sea of the Hebrides
05-06APR	Transit from the Sea of the Hebrides through the North Channel to the Firth of Clyde
06-08APR	Transit from the Firth of Clyde to the Plymouth, England breakwater
08-10APR	U/W in the English Channel
10-13APR	U/W in the South Coast Exercise Areas
13-17APR	Moored stbd side to 6 Wharf Plymouth, England
17-21APR	U/W in the South Coast Exercise Areas
21-24APR	Moored port side to 6 Wharf Plymouth, England
24-27APR	U/W in the South Coast Exercise Areas
27-29APR	Transit from English Channel through Strait of Dover to Amsterdam, Netherlands
29APR-03MAY	Moored port side to Vlothaven Pier Amsterdam, Netherlands
03-05MAY	Transit from Amsterdam Netherlands, through Skagerrak, Kattegat, Danish Strait, Store Belt to the Baltic Sea

05-09MAY	U/W Baltic Sea, clockwise circumnavigation of the Baltic.
09-10MAY	Transit from Baltic Sea to Kiel, Germany
10-14MAY	Moored port side to "AM" Kiel, Germany
14-17MAY	Transit from Kiel, Germany to English Channel via Store Belt, Danish Strait, Skagerrak, Kattegat, and Strait of Dover
17-18MAY	U/W in the South Coast Exercise Areas
18-20MAY	Transit from the English Channel to the coast of Portugal
20-24MAY	Transit from the coast of Portugal to the coast of Spain
24MAY	Transit to Naval Station Rota, Spain
24-29MAY	Moored port side to Pier 1 B3 Naval Station Rota, Spain
29-02JUN	U/W transit from Naval Station Rota, Spain through the Strait of Gibraltar to the Mediterranean Sea
02JUN	Transit in the Mediterranean Sea to Palma De Mallorca, Spain
02-05JUN	Moored port side to Dique Del Oeste Pier Palma De Mallorca, Spain
05-10JUN	U/W in the Mediterranean Sea
11-12JUN	U/W in the Eastern Atlantic
12-26JUN	Moored Port Side to Pier 1 B3 Naval Station Rota, Spain
26-27JUN	U/W in the Western Mediterranean Sea
28-30JUN	U/W in the Central Mediterranean Sea
30JUN-06JUL	U/W in the Eastern Mediterranean Sea
06-08JUL	U/W in the Aegean Sea
08JUL	Northbound Transit through Dardanelles, Sea of Marmara, and Istanbul Strait to the Black Sea
09-10JUL	U/W in the Black Sea
10-13JUL	Moored port side to Pier K-1 Odessa, Ukraine
13-14JUL	U/W in the Black Sea
14-18JUL	Moored stbd side to Pier K-1 Odessa, Ukraine
18-22JUL	U/W in the Black Sea
22-23JUL	Moored port side to Passenger Pier, Constanta, Romania
23-24JUL	U/W in the Black Sea
24JUL	Southbound Transit through Istanbul, Sea of Marmara, and Dardanelles Strait to the Aegean Sea
24-25JUL	U/W in the Aegean Sea to the Eastern Mediterranean Sea
25-28JUL	U/W in the Eastern Mediterranean Sea
29JUL	U/W IVO Larnaca Bay, Cyprus
30-31JUL	U/W in the Eastern Mediterranean Sea
01AUG	U/W in the Sea of Crete
02-03AUG	Moored port side to Pier K-14 Souda Bay, Greece
03AUG	U/W in the Central Mediterranean Sea
04AUG	Transit from Central Mediterranean through the Malta Channel and the Strait of Sicily
05-06AUG	U/W in the Mediterranean Sea
07-08AUG	U/W in the Alboran Sea
08AUG	Transit from Alboran Sea through the Strait of Gibraltar to Rota Spain
08-11AUG	Moored port side to Pier 1 Berth 3 Naval Station Rota, Spain
11AUG-03NOV	Moored port side to Pier 1 Berth 1 Naval Station Rota, Spain

03-04NOV	U/W in the Eastern Atlantic Ocean
04-22NOV	Moored port side to Pier 1 Berth 4 Naval Station Rota, Spain
22-28NOV	Moored stbd side to Pier 1 Berth 2 Naval Station Rota, Spain
28NOV	U/W in the Eastern Atlantic Ocean
28NOV-02DEC	Moored port side to Pier 1 Berth 4 Naval Station Rota, Spain
02-08DEC	U/W in the Mediterranean Sea
08-12DEC	Moored port side to Pinto Wharfs 1 and 2 Valletta Grand Harbor, Malta
12-20DEC	U/W in the Mediterranean Sea
20-22DEC	U/W in the Adriatic Sea
22-27DEC	Moored Port Side to Luka North Breakwater, Split, Croatia
27-30DEC	U/W in the Adriatic Sea
30-31DEC	Moored Port Side to Prolungamento Nuovo Sporgente Pier Berth 21, Brindisi, Italy

**Total miles steamed in 2017:**

33,184 Nautical Miles

**Command/Individual awards earned:**

Retention Excellence Award

Sea Service Deployment: 247

Navy and Marine Overseas Service Ribbon: 247

Surface Warfare Officer pinning's: 10

Enlisted Surface Warfare Specialist pinning's: 29

Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals: 14

Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medals: 106

**Enlisted Advancements:**

E4 - 23 (71%)

E5 - 35 (37%)

E6 - 13 (21%)

E7 - 7 (28%)

E8 - 1 (11%)

E9 - 1 (20%)

**Certifications Accomplished:** Anti-Terrorism (AT), Communications (COMMS), Explosive Safety (EXPSAF), Mobility Aviation (MOB-A), Mobility Damage Control (MOB-D), Mobility Engineering (MOB-E), Mobility Seamanship (MOB-S), Search and Rescue (SAR), Ballistic

Missile Defense (BMD), Cryptologic (CRY), Electronic Warfare (EW), Intelligence (INT), Surface Warfare (SW), Undersea Warfare (USW)

**Certifications Accomplished:**

AT 12/1/2017  
COMMS 7/25/2017  
EXPSAF 12/1/2017  
MOB-A 3/16/2017  
MOB-D 3/10/2017  
MOB-E 7/30/2017  
MOB-S 3/31/2017  
SAR 6/27/2017  
AW 6/23/2017  
BMD 12/1/2017  
CRY 6/23/2017  
EW 6/23/2017  
INT 6/23/2017  
SW 6/23/2017  
USW 3/19/2017

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**4. Supporting Reports**

The following messages were sent out from USS CARNEY over the year 2017.

**Casualty Reports**

January- 13  
February- 11  
March- 6  
April- 9  
May- 9  
June- 49  
July- 13  
August- 17  
September- 7  
October- 17  
November- 22  
December- 18

**Replenishment at Sea Request**

January- 0  
February- 0  
March- 1  
April- 5



May- 1  
June- 1  
July- 1  
August- 0  
September- 0  
October- 0  
November- 0  
December- 1

**Operational Reports - 5 (OPREP-5)**

January- 9  
February- 0  
March- 14  
April- 30  
May- 31  
June- 30  
July- 23  
August- 8  
September- 0  
October- 0  
November- 3  
December- 31

**Operational Reports - 3 (Unit Situational Report)**

January- 0  
February- 1  
March- 4  
April- 1  
May- 2  
June- 0  
July- 2  
August- 0  
September- 0  
October- 0  
November- 2  
December- 1

**Port Visit Reports**

January- 1  
February- 0  
March- 1  
April- 1  
May- 2  
June- 1  
July- 1  
August- 2

September- 0  
October- 0  
November- 0  
December- 2

#### **Force Protection After Action Reports**

January- 1  
February- 0  
March- 1  
April- 2  
May- 1  
June- 1  
July- 2  
August- 0  
September- 0  
October- 0  
November- 0  
December- 2

#### **USS CARNEY's BATTLE "E" results:**

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USS CARNEY earned all of the following Command Excellence Awards:

MW - MARITIME WARFARE EXCELLENCE AWARD

ENG - ENGINEERING/SURVIVABILITY EXCELLENCE AWARD

CC - COMMAND, CONTROL, COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION WARFARE  
EXCELLENCE AWARD

LM - LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT EXCELLENCE AWARD

SS - SHIP SAFETY EXCELLENCE AWARD

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USS CARNEY earned the FORCE HEALTH AND WELLNESS UNIT AWARD (GREEN H)

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## **5. Published Documents**

#### **Published Articles and Press Releases listed below to include:**

- "Lanny King Award Winner" by ENS David Nelson
- "Surface Naval Association Selects Carney Officer for Arleigh Burke Award" by ENS David Nelson

- “USS CARNEY Departs Amsterdam” by LTJG David Nelson
- “USS CARNEY Visits Kiel, Germany” by LTJG David Nelson
- “USS CARNEY Departs Kiel, Germany” by LTJG David Nelson
- “USS CARNEY Arrives in Rota” by LTJG David Nelson
- “USS Carney Nominated for Arizona Memorial Trophy” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Completes Exercise Sea Breeze 2017” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Completes Third Forward-Deployed Patrol” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Begins Flag Officer Sea Training” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Palma” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Rota” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Rota for TRAV” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Departs from Naval Station Rota” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Enters Black Sea” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Odessa, Ukraine” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Departs Odessa, Ukraine” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “President Of Ukraine Visits USS Carney” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Departs Odessa, Ukraine” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Constanta, Romania” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Exits Black Sea” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Souda Bay, Greece” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Receives Arizona Memorial Trophy” by COASTLINE
- “USS Carney Completes Navigation Certification” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Arrives in Valletta” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney Departs Malta” by CNY Public Affairs team
- “USS Carney brings in New Year with Brindisi, Italy” by CNY Public Affairs team

**USS CARNEY Website and Facebook page links:**

- United States Navy USS CARNEY DDG 64 official website,  
<http://www.public.navy.mil/surflant/ddg64/Pages/Welcome.aspx>
- USS CARNEY DDG 64 FACEBOOK webpage,  
<https://www.facebook.com/CARNEYWARRIORS>

**Naval Base Rota installation guide link:**

- [https://issuu.com/navstarota/docs/welcome\\_aboard\\_package\\_2015\\_digital](https://issuu.com/navstarota/docs/welcome_aboard_package_2015_digital)

**Welcome Aboard Materials:**

- All prospective crew members were assigned a ship sponsor, and encouraged to visit the ship’s website and Naval Station Rota, Spain installation guide link.

**Command Newsletter:**

- “The Raven” this newsletter allows crew members, as well as friends and families, to gain a better understanding of CARNEY’s achievements. Examples are PDF attachments